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THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : I do not have the information, Sir.

Allowance to Graduate teachers

*92 *Q.*—SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether any allowance is paid to the Graduate teachers in private secondary schools in Kanyakumari district when deputed for training; and

(*b*) whether Graduate teachers in Government High Schools in that district are paid allowances during training ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: (*a*) (i) Yes, in the case of all teachers belonging to the Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes and such of the other teachers as were recruited by private managements on or before 6th June 1953 ;

(ii) No allowance is paid in the case of untrained graduate teachers (other than those belonging to the Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes) recruited after 6th June 1953.

(*b*) Yes, Sir.

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY : Sir, is it a fact that irrespective of the caste or community, the teachers in the private secondary schools were enjoying this stipend during their training before a certain date ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : I do not have the information.

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY : If, at present, the Government trainees are subject to certain regulations for eligibility to this benefit, will they kindly extend them to trainees from non-Government institutions also—I mean the private secondary schools ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : It is only for the Kanyakumari district. If it is to be extended throughout the State, it will mean a good deal of cost.

SRI G. KRISHNAMOORTHY : Are the Government aware that this is peculiar to the Kanyakumari district inasmuch as untrained graduates are appointed there, and so, will they kindly consider this question ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : That is why the scope of assistance also is limited; because it is peculiar.

'Hit and run' traffic accidents

*93 *Q.*—SRI MOHAMED RAZA KHAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of 'hit and run' traffic accidents reported in Madras and Chingleput districts during the months of April, May, June and July 1960;

(*b*) the number of cases which proved fatal; and

(*c*) the number of cases detected and the number of cases not detected and the reasons therefor ?